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Amharic

Amharic Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Amharic is the official language of Ethiopia used in government, business, government schools, most newspapers, and by educated people. The *Amharic Basic Course* presents lessons in dialogues, drills, exercises, and narratives. It includes samples of speech, explanations of basic language structures, and a variety of practical exercises.

Amharic Basic Course, Units 1-50

26 audiocassettes

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5 audiocassettes

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Arabic

Iraqi Dialect Orientation Course (Operation Desert Shield)

Produced by the Defense Language Institute

This course is designed as a supplement to existing Arabic materials; it is anticipated that students of this course will include both non-Modern Standard Arabic speakers and Modern Standard Arabic graduates who are unfamiliar with the Iraqi dialect.

The course consists of 11 lessons: lesson 1 focuses on pronunciation and introduces Iraqi dialect sounds; lessons 2 through 11 are designed around selected topic areas that highlight common situations one might expect to encounter.

Topics covered include: greeting, giving information, courtesy phrases and expressions, numbers, time expressions, and the weather.

The learning activities for most lessons are: transliteration, vocabulary, and lessons.

Iraqi Dialect Orientation Course (Operation Desert Shield) 4 audiocassettes, 1 student guide Title No. AVA18857.AE00CEV: \$72

Levantine Arabic Introduction to Pronunciation

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Levantine Arabic course consists only of an introduction to the pronunciation of the language. It refers to the dialect of educated Palestinians around Beirut, Lebanon, but is intelligible in most urban areas of Lebanon, Syria, Jordan, and Israel. Since most of the sounds of Levantine Arabic also occur in other Arabic dialects, the course can also be used in the study of those dialects.

Levantine Arabic Introduction to Pronunciation

10 audiocassettes

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Title No. AV004198.BB00CEV Text Only: \$40

Modern Written Arabic

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Though there is considerable diversity of dialects in spoken Arabic, the written language is fairly standard with the differences falling into historical periods rather than geographical areas. The emphasis in the *Modern Written Arabic* course is on reading modern printed Arabic. However, before attempting this, it is necessary to learn the Arabic writing system and have reasonably accurate pronunciation. The course provides spoken exercises in Arabic and the printed transcriptions that are essential to achieving mastery of the material.

Modern Written Arabic, Volume 1

24 audiocassettes

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Modern Written Arabic, Volume 2

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Saudi Arabic Basic Course – Urban Hijazi Dialect

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Of the three major dialects in Saudi Arabic – Hijazi, Najidi, and Shargi – Hijazi is used throughout the country for government and commercial purposes, and has become the most widely understood dialect in the Arabian Peninsula. Even so, there is no "standard" Hijazi dialect, but the basis for the Saudi Arabic Basic Course is "urban" Hijazi, to distinguish it from the Bedouin dialects also native to the region. The aim of the course is "working" proficiency in the language. The course enables you to speak and understand Saudi Arabic speech at a normal rate in a variety of social and business contexts.

Saudi Arabic Basic Course – Urban Hijazi Dialect

15 audiocassettes

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Saudi Arabic Headstart

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This course is designed to help you communicate with Saudis in several basic situations and to enable you to exchange common courtesies that are essential in Arab countries. The course is divided into 8 modules, plus a student guide and a cumulative glossary. Topics discussed are: greetings, introductions, directions, business meetings, inviting people, problems on the road, and shopping.

Each module is divided into two lessons. The learning activities for most modules are: objectives, conversations, notes on conversations, additional vocabulary, speaking exercises, self-evaluation tests, and glossary. Cultural notes include information on the land, the people and their history, the religion, the lifestyle and social customs, things to do and things not to do, your living situation, notes for female dependents, Yemen, and recommended reading.

Saudi Arabic Headstart

15 audiocassettes, 1 cultural notes booklet, 1 student guide, and 1 information sheet covering Arabic numbers, days of the week, and military ranks.

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Syrian Arabic Through Video New!



Produced as a collaborative effort between the Georgetown University Arabic Department and the Center for the Advancement of Language Learning



This unique course enables students to learn Syrian Arabic through authentic video. Filmed mostly in Damascus, the course uses only native speakers of the dialect. Taskbased activities on a variety of topics help

build listening comprehension skills at the intermediate level (1+ to 2+ on the U.S. government proficiency scale).

The course uses authentic materials and taskbased activities to build proficiency, emphasizes listening comprehension, requires only a VCR and an audiocassette player, and is designed for self-study as well as classroom use.

The course is arranged into 10 modules, each with a different topic. The topics include: social encounters and arranging

appointments, telephone situations, getting around, bargaining and negotiating, social interaction, and politics and economics.

The complete course comes with a student workbook, teacher's guide and answers, resource book, transcripts, supplemental materials. The individual components can be purchased separately.

Syrian Arabic (Language Program) Complete Course

Title No. AVA19721.KK00CEV: \$485

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Title No. AVA19717.BB00CEV: \$65

Transcripts

Title No. AVA19718.BB00CEV: \$50

Resource Guide

Title No. AVA19719.BB00CEV: \$35

Student Workbook

Title No. AVA19720.BB00CEV: \$55

Bulgarian

Bulgarian Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Bulgarian Basic Course assumes no previous knowledge of Bulgarian or any other Slavic language. It uses the Cyrillic alphabet that is taught through side-by-side presentation of English translations and phonetics. The course presents lessons in dialogues, drills, exercises, and English language narration.

Bulgarian Basic Course, Units 1-15 23 audiocassettes

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11 audiocassettes

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Cambodian

Cambodian Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

This course examines two different Cambodian dialects: Standard Cambodian and the Phnom Penh dialect. Standard Cambodian is the approved speech for public education and mass communications. Of all the Cambodian dialects, it corresponds most closely to the writing system. The Phnom Penh dialect is spoken in the country's capital city. It differs sharply from the Standard Cambodian in pronunciation but is similar in other aspects. Being familiar with both styles of speech will enable students to speak and understand the language better.

This course contains 90 units, arranged in groups of five under a common theme. The first four units of each group are based on dialogues and the fifth unit is based on a narration. The text for units 1-20 is entirely in standard Cambodian. Starting with unit 21, the dialogues are in the Phnom Penh dialect, and the narration is in Standard Cambodian. Each of the 90 units includes: dialogues, drills and vocabulary sections.

Cambodian Basic Course, Units 1-45 19 audiocassettes

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Contemporary Cambodian

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Introduction

This course is designed for beginning students who are interested in studying how to read and speak Cambodian. Each of the 60 lessons contains: dialogues, drills and vocabulary lists. The first 45 lessons cover general topics such as: food, going to the doctor, and transportation.

The remaining 15 lessons cover military topics that are valuable to nonmilitary students because the vocabulary introduced in these lessons will be found in newspapers, magazines, and everyday conversations. The course text also includes questions to test your comprehension of the recorded dialogues and a comprehensive glossary.

Introduction

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Contemporary Cambodian also includes three intermediate level modules. These modules can be studied in any order. Vocabulary and grammar studied in one module will assist you in the other modules. After completing any module, the time needed per lesson decreases for subsequent modules.

The Land and the Economy

The 15 lessons in this module include: the fish industry, the climate, the land, natural resources and the government's role in the economy.

The Land and the Economy

14 audiocassettes Title No. AV004636.AE00CEV With Text: \$152 Title No. AV007926.AE00CEV Without Text: \$112

The Social Institutions

The 15 lessons in this module include: the education system, health services for the rich and poor, early Cambodian history, the Buddhist religion, and ancient and modern rites and holidays.

The Social Institutions

15 audiocassettes

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Political Institutions

The 16 lessons in this module include: local government, provincial and state government elections, the legislature and the constitution and laws.

Political Institutions

15 audiocassettes

Title No. AV004624.AE00CEV With Text: \$160 Title No. AV008621.AE00CEV Without Text: \$120

Chinese

Cantonese Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Cantonese is the principal language of the Kwangtung province in Southeast China, parts of the Kwangsi province and of Hong Kong and Macao. In addition, Cantonese is spoken by ethnic Chinese in Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, Singapore and Malaysia. Almost all Americans of Chinese descent in the United States are of Cantonese origin.

This course deals with daily life in Hong Kong and includes samples of speech, explanations of basic language structure, and a variety of practical exercises. Each of the 30 lessons contains: basic conversations, grammar and cultural notes, pattern drills, conversations for listening, and "Say It In Cantonese," that provides English-to-Cantonese practice. Also included with the course are vocabulary checklists and a cumulative glossary.

Cantonese Basic Course, Units 1-15

15 audiocassettes

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Cantonese Basic Course, Units 16-30

15 audiocassettes

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Standard Chinese: A Modular Approach

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute and the Defense Language Institute

The focus of this course is on understanding in practical situations Mandarin Chinese, the official dialect of the People's Republic of China. The material is organized into modules that deal with particular situations or language topics. You select the modules that you want to study in the order that you prefer.

It is recommended that at least the first three modules (Orientation, Biographic Information, and Money) and the resource module be studied to achieve basic proficiency in the language.

In many cases, two of the Standard Chinese modules share the same text and workbooks. Students should order one module with texts and the other module without texts. Modules that share texts are: modules 1 and 2, modules 3 and 4, and modules 5 and 6.

Module 1 — Orientation

9 audiocassettes

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22 audiocassettes

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Module 3 — Money

17 audiocassettes

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Module 7 — Society

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Optional Module — Marriage, Birth and Death

3 audiocassettes

Title No. AVA10001.AE00CEV With Text: \$35 Title No. AVA10000.AE00CEV Without Text: \$24

Resource Modules

9 audiocassettes

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Chinyanja

Chinyania Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Chinyanja Basic Course presents all the essential grammar of the spoken language of Malawi. It is divided into two main parts. The first consists of Units 1-40 and the second of Units 41-63. The first part emphasizes those words and sentences that students are most likely to need during their first few weeks in Malawi. The principal points of grammar are introduced, but they are not treated

systematically, and there are few drills. In the second part the materials from Units 1-40 are reintroduced. This time, however, the units are longer, and more attention is given to mastery of the grammatical devices of the language. Each lesson includes dialogues and notes.

Chinyanja Basic Course

15 audiocassettes

Title No. AV004428.AE00CEV With Text: \$160 Title No. AV001510.AE00CEV Without Text: \$120

Czech

Czech FAST

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute



The Czech FAST course is designed to help students acquire the communications skills necessary to deal with the most common social and everyday situations encountered.

Designed as an 8week introductory

course, the FAST course does not attempt to present a systematic and comprehensive introduction to Czech grammar. Grammar is instead presented in a very elementary form to

help gain some understanding of "what is happening."

The course is divided into 12 lessons, plus an introductory lesson. The lessons cover the following topics: introductions, asking directions, public transportation, using the telephone, at a restaurant, shopping, at a hotel, culture, car trouble, at work, car accident, and dealing with servants.

The learning activities for most units are: cultural notes, dialogues, exercises, vocabulary, and language notes.

Czech FAST

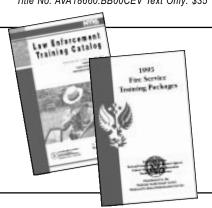
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Conversational Finnish, Lessons 1-14

15 audiocassettes

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French

French Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The French Basic Course is designed to enable you to reach conversational proficiency. You learn how to control the French sound system by listening to the tapes and repeating each phrase. The 24 units that comprise volumes 1 and 2 present a complete grammatical structure. The dialogues present natural spoken French in a variety of contexts, such as, greeting people, registering at a hotel, getting a train ticket, and shopping. This course is recommended for those who want to acquire a solid base in French grammar and vocabulary.

French Basic Course (Revised), Volume 1, Units 1-6

19 audiocassettes

Title No. AV008832.AE00CEV With Text: \$198 Title No. AV001319.AE00CEV Without Text: \$152

French Basic Course (Revised), Volume 1,

Units 7-12

29 audiocassettes

Note: same text as units 1-6.

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French Basic Course (Revised), Volume 2, Units 13-18

29 audiocassettes

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24 audiocassettes

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Introduction to French Phonology

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The Introduction to French Phonology course provides additional drills for those who wish to sound like a native speaker of the language. The course may be used beneficially at any stage of learning the language. It is invaluable for those who are already masters of the

Introduction to French Phonology

language but who wish to speak it better.

10 audiocassettes

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French for Belgium Headstart

Produced by the Defense Language Institute

The French for Belgium Headstart program emphasizes the customs particular to Belgium. Five modules comprise this course, with 3-4 units per module. Each module has a glossary, with a cumulative glossary provided. The five modules in the program cover making small talk, traveling, eating at a restaurant, shopping and household problems, and emergencies.

French for Belgium Headstart

16 audiocassettes, text, cultural notes Title No. AVA11988.AE00CEV With Text: \$137

Metropolitan French FAST

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Forty lessons include finding an apartment, an automobile crisis, calling a doctor, taking the Metro, train and taxi, and ordering in a restaurant. Cultural notes on contemporary French personalities, driving laws, price comparisons for clothes, important telephone numbers for the American visitor, and a glossary of useful words and expressions are included.

Metropolitan French FAST

10 audiocassettes

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The course presents topics including ordering a meal, registering at a hotel, meeting neighbors, asking directions, hiring staff, and getting one's car repaired.

Sub-Saharan French FAST

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Fula – also known as Fulani, Peul, Poular, Toucouleur, and Fulfulde – is the language of the Fulbe, cattle raising and farming people of Nigeria, Senegal, Mali, Guinea, Cameroon, and Niger. The Fula Basic Course consists of forty numbered units, three review units, and a glossary. Each unit includes a dialogue or other basic sentences and variation drills on basic sentences including certain vocabulary. In addition many units also contain grammar notes, drills on the grammar notes, narratives, and questions and topics for discussion.

Fula Basic Course

29 audiocassettes

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German – A Programmed Introduction enables you to learn new sounds, new words and phrases, and new structures. A typical unit is arranged as follows: phonology, comprehension, identification, pronunciation, fluency, application, and participation. The course provides some insight into German customs and language usage.

German – A Programmed Introduction 22 audiocassettes

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German Basic Course

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The German Basic Course is designed to provide students with a useful knowledge of the structure of the spoken language and with a basic vocabulary to use in both official and social situations. Each unit consists of basic memorized drills, vocabulary drills, pronunciation drills, and conversational practice.

Units 1-12 introduce numbers, present tense of common verbs, gender, pronouns, adjectives, adverbs, future and past tenses of common verbs.

Units 13-24 include added work in the past tenses, the pluperfect tense, the subjunctive tense, infinitives, conditional tenses, auxiliary verbs, relative pronouns, present and past participles, and additional study of prepositions and conjunctions.

German Basic Course, Units 1-12

25 audiocassettes

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German Basic Course, Units 13-24

25 audiocassettes

Title No. AV005674.AE00CEV With Text: \$230 Title No. AV004061.AE00CEV Without Text: \$200

German FAST

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This course focuses on developing the necessary language skills needed for everyday situations in German speaking countries such as Austria, Germany, and Switzerland.

The language notes explain the grammar as exemplified in situational dialogues. The cultural notes comment on different customs and cultural aspects of the German-speaking people

relating to specific situations.

This course is divided into 10 lessons. Topics covered are: arrival, at the hotel, shopping, getting around, at the restaurant, becoming settled, how to get medical help, telephone calls, invitations, and conversations.

Most of the lessons are divided into multiple parts. The learning activities for most lessons are: cultural notes, dialogues, exercises, vocabulary, additional material, language notes, and narratives.

German FAST

4 audiocassettes

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German Headstart

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The German Headstart audio language course teaches you how to handle everyday encounters effectively. The emphasis is on speaking and understanding useful German. Study at your pace. Many tourists, students, and foreign residents of Germany have found German Headstart to be an excellent self-study course.

Modules 1-3 cover German sounds, spelling, geographical and personal names, asking directions, numbers, greetings, courtesy, and ordering meals in a restaurant.

Modules 4-6 cover changing money, buying a train ticket, telling time, taking a taxi, getting a hotel room, and dates.

Modules 7-9 cover postal services, using the telephone, visiting in a German home, and meeting the German military.

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and residents alike for local customs, and
should allay the apprehensions of those going
to Germany for the first time. Highlights of
major points of interest should help travelers
plan their itinerary. The cultural orientation
videotape is included in the complete
videotape course.

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Greek

Greek Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The *Greek Basic Course* introduces the modern spoken language to those who wish a working command of contemporary Greek. The Greek represented in this course is a representative of the Kathomilumeni variety that is the "standard" speech of educated Greeks. It is neither entirely colloquial nor strictly formal. In the written materials the Greek alphabet is used from the beginning.

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Hausa

Hausa Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Hausa is the major language of the northern region of Nigeria. It is also used widely in commerce and trade in large areas of West Africa. Hausa is genetically related to such well-known languages as ancient hieroglyphic Egyptian, Assyro-Babylonian, Hebrew and Arabic, as well as to others less familiar but also of importance, such as Amharic and Somali. The Hausa Basic Course teaches the basic phonology and language and provides a good basic vocabulary. Instruction is centered on basic sentences, notes and drills. The recordings include the basic sentences and drills of the units, as well as the supplementary conversations that follow the units.

Hausa Basic Course

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The Hebrew Basic Course is designed to teach spoken and written modern Hebrew that is the ordinary, informal speech of educated native Israelis. It is not intended as a text for the study of the Old Testament or other Hebrew literature.

The course starts by training students in the sounds and pronunciation of Hebrew. From the start the Hebrew spelling is placed alongside written transcripts designed to help you to listen. Subsequent lessons incorporate guided imitation, repetition, memorization, pattern and response drills, and conversation. Other drills include vocabulary and verb, substitution, substitution-agreement, expansion, transformation, and translation.

Hebrew Basic Course

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Hungarian Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Hungarian Basic Course is written to provide students with the basic structure of the spoken language and a vocabulary to make limited practical use of both the spoken and written language while in Hungary. The course is intended to be colloquial, and emphasis is placed on idiomatic use and proper pronunciation of the spoken language. However, it also provides grammatical notes and instructions in the use of the written language. Each unit includes a set of basic sentences, notes to the basic sentences, notes on pronunciation, notes on grammar, transformation drills, variation drills, vocabulary drills, translation drills, response drills, conversation practice, and additional situations that are brief descriptions that promote free conversation.

The Hungarian Graded Reader is designed to develop reading ability in Hungarian by using audio material with the text with minimum recourse to translation. The 56 reading selections are arranged to follow students' progression from the beginning through the intermediate stages of reading proficiency. This text will supplement a beginning course in Hungarian or as part of an intermediate course.

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Igbo

Igbo Basic Course

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Igbo is based on the speech of two members of the Ezinehite group of Igbos in the Central Owerri Province between the towns of Owerri and Umuahia, Eastern Nigeria. The essential phonological and grammatical structure of Igbo is presented within a small vocabulary. The Igbo Basic Course consists of four parts: tone drills; units 1-24 covering dialogues, notes, and drills; units 25-30 covering dialogues and short narratives; and vocabulary. The dialogues are presented in four columns headed pronunciation, structure, spelling and English.

Igbo Basic Course

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Italian



Italian FAST

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Italian FAST course is designed as a survival language course with emphasis on developing the necessary language skills to handle the

most frequent situations encountered while traveling in Italy.

This course is divided into 2 volumes comprising 30 lessons, plus a preliminary lesson before lesson 1. Topics covered in volume 1 are: at the airport, at the exchange office, at the hotel, going by taxi, getting around, at the embassy, shopping for clothes, and eating out.

Topics covered in volume 2 are: at the office, at the cafe, dining with an Italian family, an invitation, hiring help, talking about a trip, emergency calls, car problems, renting a car/ at the gas station, and providing information.

The learning activities for most lessons are: cultural notes, dialogues, exercises, vocabulary, language usage notes, additional vocabulary, and listening comprehension.

Italian FAST

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Italian Programmatic

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The Italian Programmatic course is designed to introduce you to spoken Italian. It covers virtually the entire sound system of the language and introduces the basic grammatical categories. Although verb forms are for the most part limited to the present tense, a few other forms, including past tense and future tense are also presented and practiced. The vocabulary and structure in this volume prepare one for talking on the telephone, ordering a meal, discussing daily activities, or requesting someone to do something.

Italian Programmatic, Volume 1

23 audiocassettes

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Italian Headstart

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The Italian Headstart program consists of one unit on Italian pronunciation and five modules with accompanying audiocassettes. The pronunciation gives you hints on Italian sounds and the Italian writing system. Unit-by-unit objectives for each module are stated at the beginning of the module. Some units contain supplementary vocabulary lists. The last section of each module is an Italian-English glossary included as a separate text.

Topics covered include: getting to know you, traveling, eating at a restaurant, shopping, and using the telephone. Average course time is 30-40 hours.

Italian Headstart

21 audiocassettes, 2 textbooks, glossary, and cultural notes

Title No. AVA11990.AE00CEV Complete

Course: \$208

Japanese

Beginning Japanese

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Beginning Japanese course is concerned only with spoken Japanese in the "standard" dialect of educated inhabitants of Tokyo. Learning to speak the language at normal speed is emphasized since the aim of the course is to teach you to understand and speak the everyday language just as it is spoken by the Japanese.

Beginning Japanese, Part 1

16 audiocassettes Title No. AVA17881.AE00CEV With Text: \$148 Title No. AV008887.AE00CEV Without Text: \$128

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Japanese Headstart

Produced by the Defense Language Institute

Japanese Headstart is designed to provide practical language skills and cultural information to make it easier to get around and adjust to life in Japan. The course is self-paced, and most of the modules may be studied in any order.

Eight modules provide instruction in spoken Japanese and are based on recordings of native speakers. Also included are a cultural background module and an optional reading and writing module. Japanese words in this course are written according to the Hepburn system of romanization of Japanese.

The 10 modules include: greetings and introductions, directions, eating out, shopping and repairs, time, and signs and menus (optional).

Each module includes the following sections: module objective, vocabulary, notes, fluency drills, dialogues, a self-evaluation quiz, review and remediation, supplementary self-evaluation quiz, and additional vocabulary.

Japanese Headstart

15 audiocassettes, cumulative glossary, student guide, text for modules 1-5, and text for modules 6-10 Title No. AVA18390.AE00CEV \$160

Kirundi

Kirundi Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Kirundi is the principal language of Burundi. It shares a high degree of mutual intelligibility with Kinyarwanda, the language of Rwanda — considered together the cluster Kirundi-Kinyarwanda ranks third among Bantu languages. The Kirundi Basic Course is divided into 30 units many of which are composed of dialogues, notes, and supplemental vocabulary.

Kirundi Basic Course

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Kituha

Kituba Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Kituba, also known as Kikongo ya Leta and Munukutuba, is a vehicular or trade language spoken along the lower reaches of the Congo and its tributaries. The Kituba Basic Course consists of a "primer" in the language and five subject-oriented groups of lessons. The primer is intended to introduce the major grammatical structures of the language, to develop in the student an adequate pronunciation, and to present a certain amount of useful vocabulary for a variety of situations. The subjectoriented lessons build on the vocabulary and grammar presented in the primer. Each unit in the primer consists of a short dialogue, variation drills, a vocabulary supplement, grammar notes, and grammar drills. In subsequent units, the dialogue is supplemented with a short narrative. Notes in these units are rare and there are no drills.

Kituba Basic Course

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Korean

Korean Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Korean Basic Course teaches the national standard language as spoken by educated Koreans, a form that is understood throughout the country. The Korean orthography (Hankil) is introduced gradually.

Korean Basic Course, Volume 1

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Korean Basic Course, Volume 2

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Korean Headstart

Produced by the Defense Language Institute

The focus of this course is on speaking and understanding useful Korean. The course is divided into nine units covering the following topics: greetings and instructions, numbers and money, shopping, time and dates, everyday conversations, directions, restaurants and food, transportation, and Hangul (optional).

Each unit is divided into three to four lessons. The learning activities for most units are: conversations, notes on the conversations, exercises, and a self-evaluation quiz.

The average completion time for students who have never studied Korean is 80 to 160 hours. The optional Hangul unit is designed to be studied with an instructor, but it is included with the *Korean Headstart* package at no additional charge.

Cultural notes include information on: geography, climate, religion and philosophy, names and titles, hospitality and home visits, shopping in Korea, and nightlife.

Korean Headstart

13 audiocassettes, 1 course text with glossary, and 1 cultural notes text Title No. AVA18389.AE00CEV \$140

Lao

Reading Lao: A Programmed Introduction

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Laotian is basically monosyllabic and tonal, but there has been extensive borrowing from Sanskrit and Pali at different periods in history. Almost all polysyllabic words relating to government, the Court, Buddhism, science, and philosophy are of Sanskrit or Pali origin. The *Reading Lao* course is designed to teach you to read newspaper articles, short stories, technical descriptions of moderate difficulty, literary narratives, political speeches, and other materials of similar difficulty.

Reading Lao: A Programmed Introduction 40 audiocassettes

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Luganda

Luganda Basic Course

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Luganda is a Bantu language that is spoken as a first or as a second language by a large portion of the people of Uganda. This course contains a collection of materials that can be useful in the interaction between teachers and students. The course is divided into a series of lessons, the contents of which vary. Many include dialogs and optional vocabulary. The overall emphasis of this course is on a series of grammatical points that are introduced.

Luganda Basic Course

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Moré Basic Course

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Moré, the major language of Western Africa, is spoken principally in Upper Volta. The Moré Basic Course is divided into three cycles. Cycle one is devoted mainly to socially useful expressions and to general notes on social usage and the major points of grammar. Cycle two concentrates on developing fuller control of the language structure within the context of high frequency situations. Cycle three presents additional materials for comprehension and conversation practice aimed at the consolidation of skills developed in cycle two. Units 1-37 include basic sentences, general notes, and drills. Units 38-48 are organized by topics such as the weather, school, and traveling.

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Pilipino

Headstart for the Philippines

Produced by the Defense Language Institute

The focus of this course is on speaking and understanding useful Pilipino. The audio programs use Pilipino, Tagalog, and Filipino interchangeably.

The course is divided into five units covering the following topics: getting to know you, getting around, at the restaurant, shopping, and getting help.

Each unit is divided into two to three lessons. The learning activities for most units are: conversations, notes on the conversations, exercises, and a self-evaluation guiz.

The cultural notes include information on: geography, climate, history, food and restaurants, sightseeing, shopping, and currency.

Headstart for the Philippines

13 audiocassettes, 1 course text with glossary, and 1 cultural notes text Title No. AVA18388.AE00CEV \$124

Polish



Polish FAST

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Polish FAST course is designed as a survival language course. The emphasis is on developing the necessary language skills to handle the

most frequent situations a visitor would meet with while traveling in Poland.

This course is divided into 14 units with grammar exercises following unit 14.

Topics covered are: exchanging greetings and introductions, looking for someone at the embassy, getting around on foot, using the telephone, eating out, staying at a hotel, shopping, social life/visiting with the neighbors, making appointments, giving a party, getting around by car, dealing with emergencies, and doing repairs and renovations.

Learning activities in most units are: cultural notes, dialogues, exercises and drills, additional vocabulary, and language notes.

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This course is designed to assist students in coping with everyday situations in a Portuguese-speaking country. The cultural orientation of the course is Brazil. The course follows a nine-step approach that includes the following activities: sample dialogs, filling in the blanks, contextual equivalents, additional vocabulary, pronunciation practice, and thought translation.

The 30 lessons cover checking into a hotel, asking directions, answering the phone, being introduced at a party, ordering in a restaurant, buying clothing and shoes at the store, and calling the doctor's office.

Brazilian Portuguese FAST Volumes 1 & 2

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Portuguese Programmatic Course

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You learn easily from the *Portuguese Programmatic Course* by imitating and repeating the dialogues of natural, everyday conversations recorded on the cassettes by native speakers. A variety of drills and exercises help you develop fluency while guiding you to the correct intonation and pronunciation. At the end of each lesson unit in volume 1 is a brief "culture capsule," — recorded in English — that provides insight into the language usage and customs of Brazilian Portuguese. Volume 2 will extend your vocabulary and facility in more complex dialogues.

Portuguese Programmatic (Revised) Course, Volume 1

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Portuguese — From Spanish to Portuguese

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The Portuguese — From Spanish to Portuguese course is designed for those who already have a good command of Spanish and want to learn Brazilian Portuguese. It focuses on Portuguese pronunciation, grammar, and vocabulary that have similar, but not always identical counterparts in Spanish.

Portuguese — From Spanish to Portuguese 2 audiocassettes

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Serbo-Croatian

Serbo-Croatian Basic Course

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The Serbo-Croatian Basic Course uses a "standard" form of Serbo-Croatian understood throughout the former Yugoslavia with accepted regional variations in vocabulary and pronunciation. Basic sentences and conversation drills in the text are in both Latin and Cyrillic alphabets. The course is presented in two parts, each containing 25 units. Many of the units contain dialogues, grammar and cultural notes, question-and-answer drills, situational drills, and grammatical drills. The lessons are intended to give beginners a useful oral command of the language and a reading knowledge somewhat broader than their speaking ability.

Serbo-Croatian Basic Course, Units 1-25 22 audiocassettes

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Shona Basic Course

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Colloquial Sinhalese, Volume 1, Units 1-24 Plus Reviews

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Spanish

Spanish Basic Course

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The Spanish Basic Course in Latin American dialect prepares students to function effectively in conversations. Pronunciation, inflection, and intonation are heavily stressed. The text material has accompanying phonetic spellings written in Spanish.

Units 1-15 introduce gender present tense of verbs whose infinitives end in "ar," "er," and "ir," the irregular verbs "estar," "ser," and "haber," adjectives, possessives, present perfect and present progressive forms, and object pronouns.

Units 16-30 present supplemental readings, past tenses, irregular verbs, and reflexive pronouns.

Units 31-45 introduce nominalized verbs and adjectives, numbers, past progressive and present subjunctive verb forms, days of the week, months, and colors.

Units 46-55 drop the phonetic spellings, introduce past, past perfect and present perfect subjunctives, conditional tenses, the passive voices, and noun-forming suffixes.

Spanish Basic Course, Units 1-15

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Spanish Programmatic, Volume 1 24 audiocassettes

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Spanish FAST

10 audiocassettes

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Spanish for Latin America Headstart

Produced by the Defense Language Institute

Spanish for Latin America Headstart emphasizes speaking and understanding useful Latin American Spanish. The course teaches you how to communicate effectively with the local residents in situations you are likely to encounter. Module 1 covers "Getting to Know You," Module 2 covers "Getting Around," Module 3 covers "Shopping," and Module 4 covers "Dining Out."

Spanish for Latin America Headstart, Complete Course

15 audiocassettes and textbooks Title No. AVA11992.AE00CEV Complete Course: \$120

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Cultural Orientation Tape for Panama

This orientation tape is designed to prepare tourists and residents alike for local customs, and will allay the apprehensions of going to Panama for the first time. Highlights of major points of interest will help travelers plan their itinerary. The Cultural Orientation videotape is included in the complete videotape course.

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Spanish for Spain Headstart

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Survival Spanish is designed to introduce adults with no previous knowledge of the language. The emphasis is on developing language skills needed for survival in a Spanish-speaking country, and is supported by authentic reading materials. The audiocassettes include the presentation of dialogues and vocabulary from the book and a number of listening comprehension activities to be done on assignments.

Survival Spanish

6 audiocassettes Title No. AVA17672.AE00CEV With Text: \$80

Swahili

Swahili Basic Course

Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

Swahili is one of the Bantu languages used both in government and in trade in much of East Africa and around the Congo. A separate course, *General Conversation*, is intended for those who have completed the *Swahili Basic Course*. It contains reading exercises, additional speech practice, and information on Swahili culture.

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The Swedish Basic Course provides all the essential information and vocabulary for learning to speak everyday Swedish. The course takes into account grammatical structures and pronunciation pitfalls that present consistent difficulties for the English speaker. The primary goal of language learning is to communicate with the native speakers in a natural and productive way. The secondary goal is to learn to read and translate Swedish.

Swedish Basic Course

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The Thai Basic Course teaches the national spoken language in the dialect of educated speakers of Bangkok and Central Thailand. It starts with a programmed introduction to Thai phonology to acquaint you with the significant features of the language's sound system. When writing, the Thais use a complex system based on Sanskrit, but in the course a special phonetic transcription is used which will help you read and write more easily.

Thai Basic Course, Volume 1

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Turkish

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Produced by the Foreign Service Institute

The *Turkish Basic Course* is an introduction to spoken Turkish in that it includes the major patterns of simple sentences and vocabulary of about 475 high frequency items. It provides a basis for communicating with Asian Turks as far east as Sinkiang Province in China and as far west as the Tatar regions on the Volga. The course enables students to communicate in all but the most isolated Kurdish villages. Each unit begins with a dialogue between two or more speakers. Many of the units also include variation and lexical drills, questions for discussion, notes, grammar and vocabulary drills, and narratives.

Turkish Basic Course, Units 1-30

14 audiocassettes

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